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On the ball with the Manager

Welcome to today's visitors Aston Villa as we move into the final stages of the season with only Tuesday's home game against Tottenham Hotspur still outstanding.

Last Saturday we went to Wolves and earned a point thanks to a Neil Whatmore goal and in the end we could quite easily have snatched victory.

After our defeat at Leeds when we conceded five goals for the first and I hope the only time this season, the point at Wolves went some way to restoring confidence.

I have been the first to admit that this season, our away form has not been up to much and this is one aspect of our play on which we will continue to work.

Looking back, it is obvious that our performances here at Burnden Park have been what have kept us in the First Division.

Prior to the defeat against Ipswich it was a matter of looking back to November 25 for our previous defeat here - and that was at the hands of Nottingham Forest. To lose to the

European Cup finalists doesn't hurt quite as much as losing to other sides.

We have only failed to score here three times this season, with Coventry City, West Brom and Forest the defences we couldn't crack.

I am writing this column before the Liverpool game - the first of our three home games to end the season.

It has been a season of consolidation - and I am very pleased that the reserves have done better in this campaign than in previous years.

A lot of young players are getting their chance at Bolton and this is a policy we intend to continue.

We lost at Villa Park 3-0 in March. It's up to us to make certain they don't do the double today.

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and
retain



Front page picture

Jim McDonagh in action against Ipswich

Picture by Harry McGuire

Welcome to . . .

Villa have been very much a middle-of-the-road team this season, rarely threatening to win anything while never really looking in danger of relegation. Ground advantage has meant very little to them, either, as a glance at their record shows they have fared almost as well away from home as they have at Villa Park.

Indeed, for much of the season, they were doing far better away from home. When we went to Villa Park in early March they had managed to win only three of their eleven home League games.

It was our misfortune to catch them on the point of revival for only four days earlier they had beaten local rivals Birmingham City to chalk up their third home win. They then proceeded to hit us 3-0 and they have subsequently beaten Q.P.R. (3-1), Liverpool (3-1) and Arsenal (5-1) at Villa Park. And on Saturday they beat Chelsea at home 2-1.

Those victories over Liverpool and Arsenal, the F.A. Cup finalists, were particularly meritorious and seem to suggest that manager Ron Saunders has now struck a new blend. Against Arsenal they were actually a goal down at half-time.

Villa have averaged a point per game away from home, having won at Tottenham (4-1), Ipswich (2-0), Birmingham (1-0), Wolves (4-0), Chelsea (1-0) and Norwich (2-1) and drawn at Arsenal (1-1), West Bromwich (1-1), Derby (0-0), Everton (1-1), Manchester United (1-1) and Coventry (1-1).

They were beaten at Bristol City (0-1), Q.P.R. (0-1), Southampton (0-2), Middlesbrough (0-2), Nottingham Forest (0-4) and Leeds (0-1).

In the League Cup, Villa scored a narrow 1-0 home win over Third Division Sheffield Wednesday in the second round and were then taken to a third game before disposing of Second Division Crystal Palace by 3-0. Finally came a severe blow in the form of a 2-0 home defeat by Second Division Luton in round four.

Villa's F.A. Cup hopes came to an abrupt end when they were beaten 0-2 at Nottingham Forest in the third round.

Villa's rather ordinary season has surprised a few folk for they have enjoyed considerable success since they returned to the First Division in 1975. They had coupled promotion from the Second Division that year with a 1-0 victory over Norwich City in the League Cup Final and went on to build upon those achievements.

They spent their first season consolidating their First Division status and then, in 1976/77, they took fourth place in the table and won the League Cup again after a three-match marathon with Everton in the final.

That gave them their second crack at the UEFA Cup and they enjoyed a splendid run to the quarter-finals. On the way, Villa disposed of Fenebahce (6-0 on aggregate), Gornik Zabrze (3-1) and Atletico Bilbao (3-1).

They faced Barcelona, including Johann Cruyff, in the quarter-final in which they were held to

Aston Villa



Back Row - Left to Right: Lee Jenkins, Ivor Linton, David Evans, Nigel Spink, Jimmy Rimmer, Ken McNaught, Frank Carrodus, Allan Evans, Joe Ward.

Middle Row: Gary Williams, Colin Gibson, Willie Young, Brian Little, Gary Shaw, Adrian O'Dowd, Tommy Craig, Gordon Cowans, Gordon Smith (now with Spurs), Roy McLaren (1st team coach).

Front Row: David Cunningham, Gary Shelton, Ken Swain, John Gidman, Ron Saunders (manager), Dennis Mortimer, Alex Cropley, John Gregory, John Deehan.

a 2-2 home draw. In spite of a bold effort in Spain, Villa lost the return leg 1-2 and so went out of the competition.

It was their misfortune to be drawn against the two best teams in the country in the domestic Cups last season, going down 1-4 at Everton in the third round of the F.A. Cup and 2-4 at Nottingham Forest in the fourth round of the League Cup.

After a poor start in the League, Villa climbed back into a middle-of-the-table position and stayed there for much of the campaign. But a spirited close, which included a run of five successive victories including 6-1

against Ipswich, saw them rise to finish eighth.

Villa's end-of-season form engendered optimism for this season and manager Saunders had the right to expect that his side would be somewhere around the top of the table this term.

But, though away form was as good as he could have hoped for, Villa hit an incredibly bad run at Villa Park to kill any hope they had of making a challenge.

Villa's recent flush of success is reminiscent of their late run last season. This time the manager will be hoping that they will be able to pick up next season where they are leaving off this time.

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VILLA striker Andy Gray

Leading Scorers

Only one player in the scoring charts hit target at the weekend. He was Ally Brown of West Brom who scored in his side's 1-1 draw at Middlesbrough.

DIVISION ONE

	L	LC	FAC	TI
Worthington (Bolton)	23	2	0	25
Dalglish (L'pool)	19	0	4	23
Stapleton (Arsenal)	17	1	5	23
A. Brown (WBA)	18	0	5	23
Birtles (Notts F.)	13	6	0	19
J. Greenhoff (Man U.)	11	1	5	17
Latchford (Everton)	11	6	0	17
Hawley (Leeds)	16	1	0	17

DIVISION TWO

Bruce (Preston)	21	3	2	26
Robson (W. Ham)	23	1	1	25
Rowell (Sunderland)	21	0	1	22
Riley (Cambridge)	19	1	1	21
Randall (Stoke)	18	0	0	18
Cross (W. Ham)	17	0	0	17
Robinson (Charlton)	13	3	1	17

DIVISION THREE

Jenkins (Watford)	27	4	4	35
Binney (Plymouth)	24	2	0	26
Blissett (Watford)	19	7	0	26
Edwards (Chester)	20	3	0	23
Edwards (Hull)	21	0	1	22
Beamish (Bury)	20	0	1	21
Kemp (Carlisle)	18	1	2	21
James (Swansea)	14	4	2	20

DIVISION FOUR

Dungworth (Aldershot)	25	0	8	33
Cork (Wimbledon)	21	1	2	24
Lee (Stockport)	20	2	2	24
Bradd (Stockport)	18	1	2	21
Goddard (Newport)	17	0	4	21
Reilly (N'hampton)	18	3	0	21

* Positions after Saturday's games

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JIMMY RIMMER (Goalkeeper). Jimmy grew up with Manchester United and made 34 First Division appearances for the Reds. After a loan spell at Swansea, he joined Arsenal in 1974 and he was capped by England while with the Gunners. Villa paid £70,000 for him in 1977.

JOHN GIDMAN (Defender). John served his apprenticeship with Liverpool but was not taken on as a professional. He joined Villa in 1971 and has since played for the England youth and "B" teams.

ALLAN EVANS (Defender). Allan was a midfield player in his Dunfermline days and in 1976/77 he was their top scorer with 14 goals. Villa signed him for £25,000 in 1977.

KEN McNAUGHT (Defender). Ken completed his apprenticeship with Everton and made his First Division bow for them in 1974/75. He quickly established himself in the Toffees' side and, when Villa signed him in 1977, they had to pay £200,000.

BRENDAN ORMSBY (Defender). Brendan skippered the England youth side which has recently qualified to play in the final stages of the UEFA Youth tournament. He was drafted into the centre of the Villa defence over the Easter period.

TOMMY CRAIG (Midfield). Tommy joined Villa from Newcastle for a club record £250,000 fee last season but, after only four matches, he suffered an injury that kept him out of the side until this September. Tommy is a Scottish international who became the first £100,000 teenager in 1969 when he left Aberdeen for Sheffield Wednesday.

DENNIS MORTIMER (Midfield). Dennis was capped on six occasions for the England under-23 side in his Coventry days. Villa signed him for £175,000 in 1976 and last season he was picked for the England "B" team.

GARY SHELTON (Midfield). Gary hit the first hat-trick of his League career in the 5-1 victory over Arsenal last week, one of his goals coming from a penalty. That took his tally for the season to eight. Gary began his career with Walsall and, though he made only a couple of dozen League appearances for the Saddlers, Villa paid £60,000 for him last season.

COLIN GIBSON (Defender). Colin is another Villa youngster to be introduced to First Division football over the past month. He came in at left-back.

GORDON COWANS (Midfield). Gordon came through from the junior sides to make his League bow as substitute in 1975/76. He gained a regular place last season.

GARY WILLIAMS (Defender). Gary has been holding the left-back position for much of the season following the departure of Gordon Smith for Spurs.

KENNY SWAIN (Midfield). Kenny was signed from Chelsea for £100,000 earlier this season. He was one of many players to work his way up from the junior teams at Stamford Bridge, making his League bow in 1973/74.

ALEX CROPLEY (Midfield). Alex has recently been back in the side after a long injury-enforced absence. He began his career with Hibernian and won full and under-23 caps for Scotland while at Easter Road. Arsenal signed him for £150,000 in 1974 and sold him to Villa for £125,000 two years later.

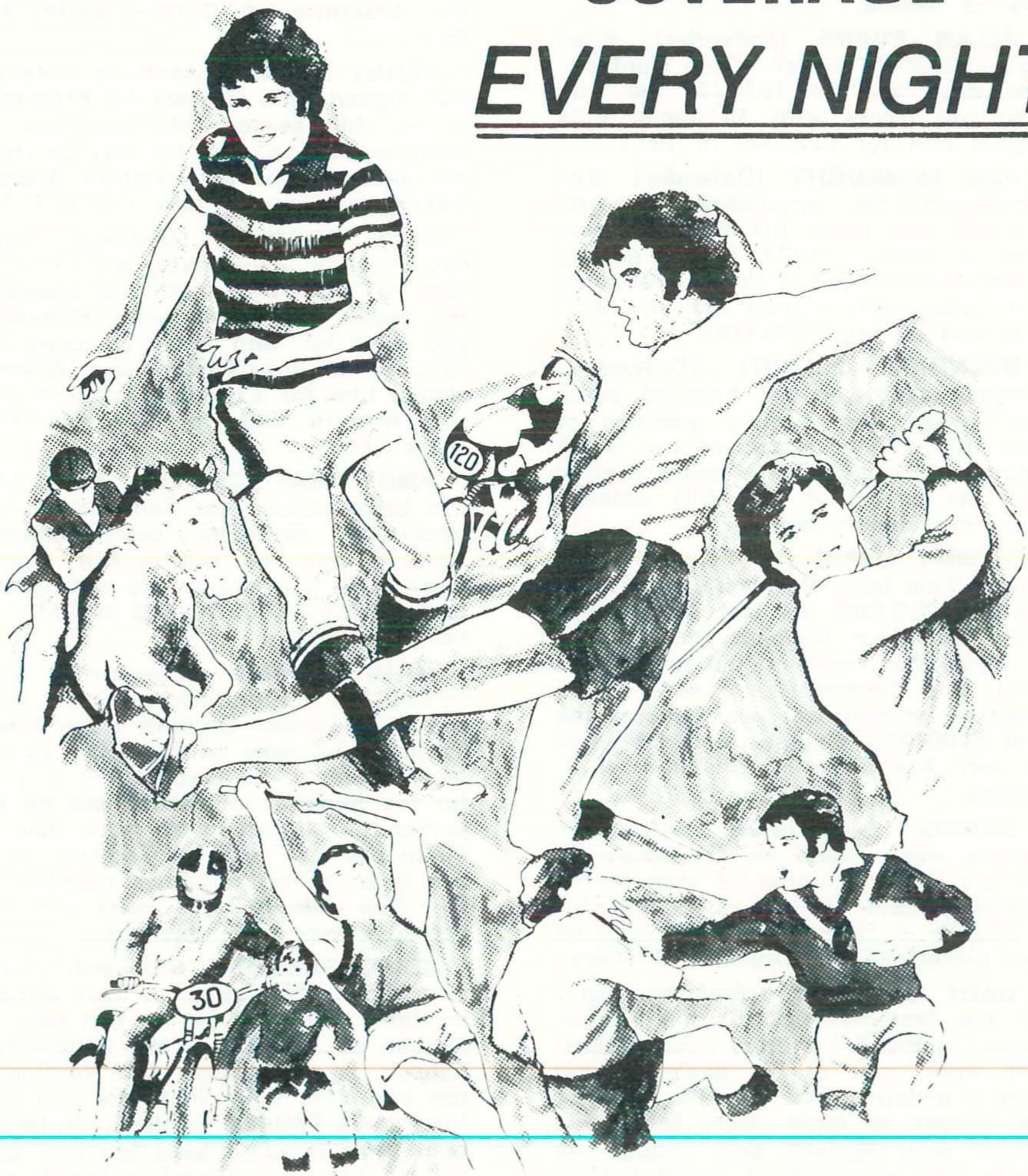
ANDY GRAY (Forward). Andy, who has been capped for Scotland on six occasions, has also been suffering from injuries this season and, consequently, he has scored only eight goals. Last season he hit 18 and in 1976/77 he grabbed 29.

JOHN DEEHAN (Forward). John served his apprenticeship with Villa and is a former England youth international. Because of his Irish parentage, however, he was invited to play for the Republic of Ireland but he rejected the chance in the hope that he might one day play for England. John has been a fairly regular member of the Villa side for two years and has scored seven goals this season.

JOHN GREGORY (Forward). John is an invaluable player to have around in times of crisis for he can play in almost any position. He established himself as a full-back with Northampton and Villa were lucky to sign him for a mere £40,000 in 1977. He began with Villa as a full-back but this season he has also played in attack and midfield. He is now top scorer with eight goals.

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1. Which Bournemouth player was the Football League's top scorer in 1971-2 and 1970-1?

2. Which former Bolton player made his debut for Bradford in September, 1929 at the age of 15 years and 156 days?

3. Which famous striker scored his 100th League goal when playing for Chelsea at the tender age of 20 years 9 months?

4. Who was the youngest player to take part in an F.A. Cup Final?

5. Who was the youngest player to play in Division One?

6. Who holds most England caps — Bobby Moore or Bobby Charlton?

7. What feat did Blackpool's Stan Mortensen achieve in the F.A. Cup Final against the Wanderers in 1953?

8. In a tragic accident, a Spurs player was killed by lightning on a London golf course in 1964. Name him.

9. Two clubs, in the 1950s won the First Division title in successive years. Name them.

10. Which is the oldest Football League club?

11. Which is the only club to take the F.A. Cup out of England?

12. Which club has won the F.A. Cup most times?

13. What happened to the original F.A. Cup?

14. Who holds the record for scoring most League goals in a season?

15. A Liverpool player holds most Scottish caps. Who is he?

16. Who is the most capped player for Wales?

17. On which ground do Swindon Town play?

18. What is the name of Tranmere's ground?

19. Which team plays at Gresty Road?

20. Which team plays at Blundell Park?



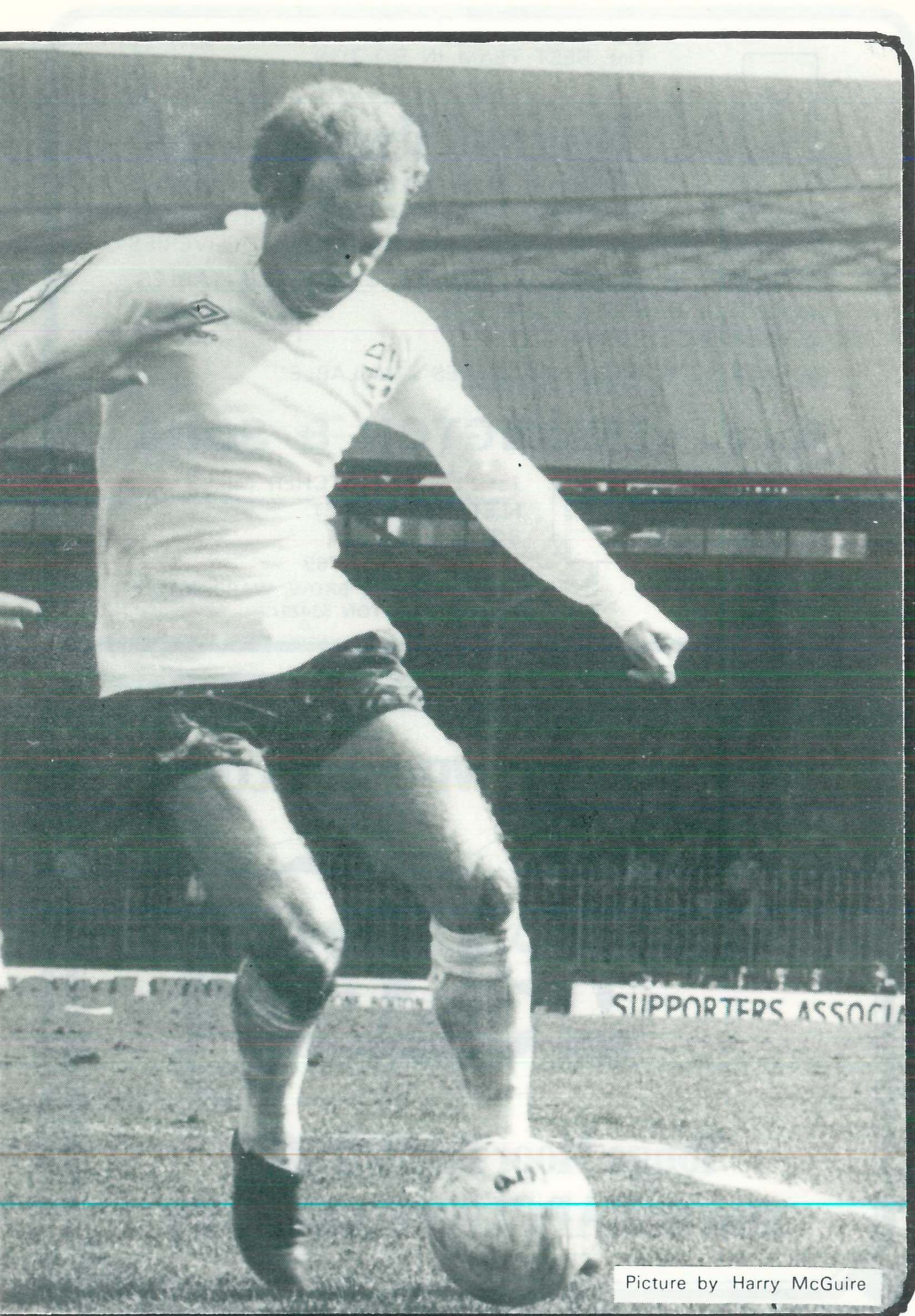
21. Name the player.

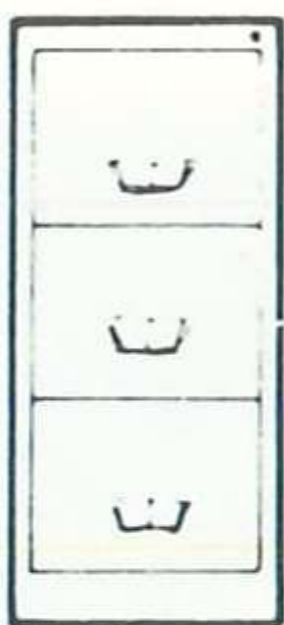
Quiz Answers

1. Ted MacDougall. 2. Albert Geldard. 3. Jimmy Greaves. 4. Howard Kendall. 5. Derek Foster, Sunderland goalkeeper in 1964 at the age of 15 years 185 days. 6. Bobby Moore has 108 caps, Bobby Charlton 106. 7. He scored a hat-trick. 8. John White. 9. Manchester United in 1955-6 and 1956-7, Wolves in 1957-8 and 1958-9. 10. Notts County were founded in 1862. 11. Cardiff City who beat Arsenal at Wembley 1-0 in 1927. 12. Aston Villa. 13. It was stolen from a Birmingham shop window in 1895 while Villa were holders. 14. Dixie Dean (Everton) with 60 goals in 39 games in 1927-8. 15. Kenny Dalglish. 16. Ivor Allchurch with 67. 17. The County Ground. 18. Prenton Park. 19. Crewe Alexandra. 20. Grimsby Town. 21. Roy Greaves.



Skill on the ball from Neil Whatmore as he dazzles his way past an Ipswich defender.





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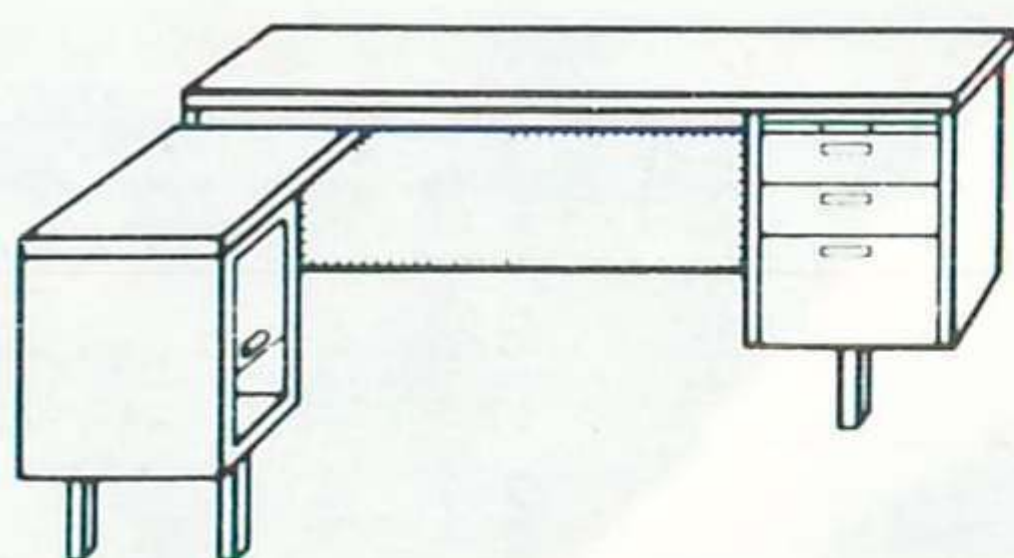
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Came to Bolton:	Christmas, 1977 as coach.
Memorable soccer moment:	Making debut in European Cup for Burnley
Ambition:	To do well at Bolton and for the club to do well.
Favourite food:	Steaks, trout.
Favourite film star:	The Burt Lancaster type.
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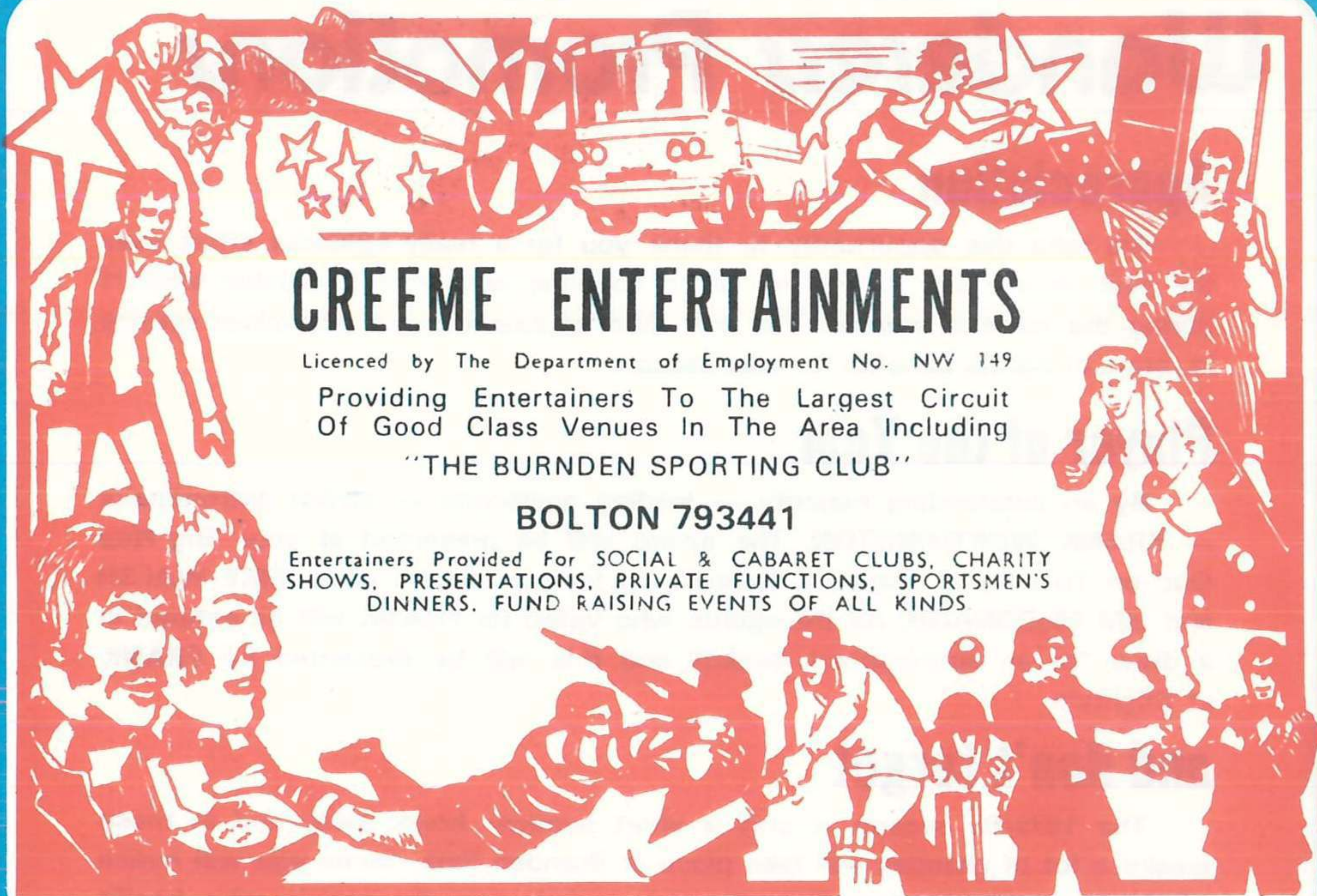
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Travel club officials, who have done such a good job this season, pictured with Ian Greaves, Stan Anderson, Paul Jones and Frank Worthington.

Improvements at Burnden

During the season, plans have been made for more improvements to the ground and facilities which include some reorganisation of stand seating to comply with crowd safety requirements.

This season, the seating behind the Great Lever goal was used for the first time and has proved to be a popular vantage spot.

The Wanderers will continue to make improvements as finances permit and they aim to bring Burnden Park's standards into line with the best in the country.

It all takes time, but the work will go on not only on the stadium but on the playing surface itself as a matter of priority before the start of next next season.

Meet the Referee

FARLEY, TERRY (Newton Aycliffe, Co. Durham). After playing junior football took up refereeing. Has progressed via the North Regional and Northern Leagues to the Football League full list. Lined the F.A. Charity Shield at Wembley in 1975, a Football League Cup Semi-Final in 1970, also Fairs Cup and Anglo-Italian Tournament ties and a Scotland v Peru International.

Married, with two sons, he is an Accountancy Assistant and very keen on playing squash. Is Secretary of the Association of Football League Referees and Linesmen (North-East Section) also of the Bishop Auckland Referees Association. Sports Editor of Aycliffe Community Radio.

Facts, Figures-1978-9

CAPITALS denotes home games

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	"	22	Southampton	1	2	5	4	12*	6	7	8	9	10	11	3*							Gowling									
	"	26	West Brom A.	1		5	4	2*	6	7	8	9	10	11	3							Worthington (2)									
	"	29	CHELSEA (LC2)	1		5	4		6	7	8	9	10	11				2	3			Worthington (2) [1 penalty]									
Sept.	2	BIRMINGHAM CITY	1		5	4			6	7	8	9	10	11	12			2	3			Worthington (2) [1 penalty]									
"	9	DERBY COUNTY	1	2	5	4			7	8	9	10	11*	3				6		12*		Gowling (2)									
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Oct.	4	Everton (LC3)			5	4			6	7	8	9	10					2*	3		11	1	Gowling								
"	7	LEEDS UNITED	1		5	4	2	6	7			9*	10	12*	8					3		Morgan, Smith, Worthington									
"	14	Chelsea	1		5	4	2	6	7	12*	9*	10				8			3		11	Gowling (2) Worthington [1 penalty]									
"	21	MANCHESTER CITY	1	2	5	4		6	7		9	10		12	8			3		11		Gowling, Worthington									
"	28	Tottenham H.	1	2	5	4		6	7		9	10		12	8					11											
Nov.	4	COVENTRY CITY	1	2	5	4	6		7			10		3	8					12											
"	11	Bristol City	1	2	5	4			7	12*	9	10		3*	8					6		Walsh									
"	18	WEST BROM. A.	1	2	6	4	5		7	12	9	10				8		3													
"	21	Birmingham City	1	2	6	4	5		7	12*	9	10			8*			3													
"	25	NOTTINGHAM F. (1)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	12*	9	10			8																
Dec.	2	Queens Park R.	1	2	6	4	5		7		9	10		3	8							Gowling, Worthington (2)									
"	9	WOLVERHAMPTON W.	1	2	6	4	5		7		9	10		3	8					12		Greaves, Gowling, Worthington [1 penalty]									
"	13	LEAGUE CUP 5																													
"	16	Ipswich Town (2)	1	2	6	4	5		7			9	10		3	8															
"	22	MANCHESTER U.	1	2	6	4	5		7	12	9	10		3	8							Worthington (2), Gowling									
"	26	Middlesbrough	1	2	6	4	5		7		9	10		3	8							Worthington									
Jan.	9	Bristol City (FA3)	1	2	6	4	5		7		9	10		3						8		Smith									
Feb.	3	Norwich City	1	2	6	4	5		7	9		10		3				12	8												
"	24	CHELSEA	1	2	6	4	5		7		9	10		3					8			Burke, McNab									
Mar.	3	Manchester City	1	2	6	4	5		7	12*	9	10		3								Worthington									
"	7	Aston Villa	1	2	6	4	5		7	12*	9	10		3																	
"	17	Coventry C. (LCF)	1	2	6	4	5		8	7	12*	9	10		3*							Worthington, McNab									
"	21	Derby County	1	2	6	4	5*	8	7	12*	9	10																			
"	24	SOUTHAMPTON	1	2	6	4	5		7	8	9	10		3				3													
"	27	ARSENAL	1	2	6	4	5		7	8	9	10		3				12				Gowling (2)									
"	31	Nottingham F. (SF)	1	2	6	4	5		12	7	8	9	10		3							Gowling(2), Worthington(2 Pens)									
Apr.	3	EVERTON	1	2	6	4	5		7	8	9	10		3								Gowling									
"	7	QUEENS PARK R.	1	2*	6	4	5		7	8	9	10		3								Morgan, Whatmore, Jones									
"	11	Manchester U.	1		6	4			12	7	8	9	10		3							Worthington, Gowling									
"	14	MIDDLESBROUGH	1		6	4	5	12*	7	8	9	10		3*								Worthington (2)									
"	16	Everton	1		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10																			
"	21	IPSWICH TOWN	1	2	3		5*	6	7	8	9	10																			
"	25	Leeds	1		6	4			5	7	8		10		12							Worthington, Allardyce									
"	28	Wolverhampton W.	1	2	6	4			5	7	8		10		12							McNab									
May	1	LIVERPOOL	1	2	6	4			5	7	8		10		3							Whatmore									
"	5	ASTON VILLA	1	2	6	4			5	7	8		10		3							Souness (o.g)									
"	8	TOTTENHAM																													
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Liverpool
West Brom
Nottingham Forest
Everton
Leeds United
Arsenal
Ipswich
Aston Villa
Coventry
Manchester United
Bristol City
Southampton
Middlesbro.
Manchester City
Norwich
Tottenham
BOLTON WANDS.
Wolves.
Derby County
Queens Park R.
Birmingham
Chelsea

* Positions after Tuesday night's matches

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FIRST DIVISION
WANDERERS V

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

Tuesday, May 8th, 1979 kick-off 7-30 p.m.

Central League Fixtures
for the 1978-79 Season

		HOME		AWAY		Pts.
		P	W	D	L	
Aug. 19	Stoke City	38	17	2	0	0
" 22	PRESTON	37	11	5	2	2
" 26	NEWCASTLE U.	36	9	10	0	2
" 30		41	12	7	2	2
Sept. 2	West Brom A.	39	10	4	4	2
" 16	DERBY COUNTY	40	11	8	2	3
" 19	Wolves	39	11	4	6	3
" 23	Blackpool	37	8	8	3	5
" 26	Burnley	41	10	7	3	5
" 30	LIVERPOOL	38	8	6	5	5
Oct. 4		41	10	7	3	5
" 7	Blackburn Rovers	38	8	6	7	5
" 14	LEEDS UNITED	41	11	6	4	6
" 21	Man City	38	9	9	2	7
" 28	SHEFF. WED.	40	10	5	5	9
Nov. 4	Coventry City	39	8	5	6	11
" 8		41	7	9	4	12
" 11	STOKE CITY	39	6	7	8	12
" 18	Newcastle Utd.	40	10	4	5	14
" 25	Aston Villa	39	6	7	6	14
Dec 16	EVERTON	40	9	4	7	15
" 26	SHEFF. UTD.	41	8	5	7	16
" 30	MAN. UTD.	39	4	9	6	18
1979		40	5	8	7	18
Feb. 10	Liverpool	39	3	4	12	20
" 24	Leeds United	40	5	8	7	22
" 28	BURY	39	3	4	12	22
Mar. 3	MAN CITY	41	10	4	5	22
" 6	Huddersfield Town	39	6	7	6	22
" 10	Sheffield Wed.	40	9	4	7	23
" 14	WEST BROM	41	8	5	7	24
" 17	COVENTRY CITY	39	4	9	6	24
" 21	BLACKPOOL	40	5	8	7	25
" 24	Preston	39	4	9	6	25
" 31	ASTON VILLA	40	5	8	7	26
Apr. 7	Bury	39	3	4	12	28
" 10	BURNLEY	40	5	8	7	30
" 14	Sheffield Utd.	41	8	5	7	31
" 16	WOLVES	39	4	9	6	33
" 18	BLACKBURN	40	5	8	7	34
" 21	Everton	39	4	9	6	34
" 23	Derby County	40	5	8	7	34
" 25	HUDDERSFIELD	39	4	9	6	35
" 28	NOTTS. F.	40	5	8	7	35
May 5	Manchester U.	39	3	4	12	35

team check

WANDERERS

Shirts: White

Shorts: Blue

1. McDONAGH, Jim
2. NICHOLSON, Peter
3. DUNNE, Tony
4. GREAVES, Roy
5. ALLARDYCE, Sam
6. WALSH, Mike
7. MORGAN, Willie
8. WHATMORE, Neil
9. McNAB, Neil
10. WORTHINGTON, Frank
11. GRAHAM, Mike

Sub:

ASTON VILLA

Shirts: Claret & Blue

Shorts: White, Claret & Blue Stripe

1. RIMMER, Jimmy
2. GIDMAN, John
3. GIBSON, Colin
4. GREGORY, John
5. EVANS, Allan
6. MORTIMER, Dennis
7. COWANS, Gordon
8. SHELTON, Gary
9. DEEHAN, John
10. CROPLEY, Alex
11. SWAIN, Kenny

Sub: LITTLE, Brian

Referee

T. FARLEY (Newton Aycliffe, Co. Durham)

Red Flag

G. BOOTHMAN (Burnley)

Linesman

Yellow Flag

JAMES SMITH (Liverpool)

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Half-time Scoreboard

A—Birmingham v Arsenal
B—Chelsea v Ipswich
C—Coventry v Wolves
D—Derby v Middlesborough
E—Leeds v QPR
F—Liverpool v Southampton
G—Man City v Bristol City
H—Norwich v Nottm Forest
I—Spurs v Everton
J—West Brom v Man Utd
K—
L—

M—Blackburn v West Ham
N—Bristol R. v Preston
O—Cambridge v Sheff Utd
P—Cardiff v Burnley
Q—Charlton v Oldham
R—Leicester v Millwall
S—Luton v Fulham
T—Newcastle v Brighton
U—Notts Co. v Stoke
V—Orient v C. Palace
W—Wrexham v Sunderland
X—Shrewsbury v Bury